HOW TO APPLY

Partnership projects that meet the above criteria can be submitted for the 2021 Partnership Prize. Preference in the project selection process will be given to innovative applications (e.g., videos, interviews, etc.). Project applications can be submitted to the UEM by 15 March 2021 at the following email address: partnerships@vemission.org

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ABOUT THE PRIZE

The United Evangelical Mission (UEM) will award a new Partnership Prize in 2021 for the best partnership projects in Africa, Asia, and Germany. This time the Partnership Prize will recognize joyful partnerships that “consider all five senses” in accordance with the recommendations of the International Partnership Conference of 2017. The three best partnership projects on the theme of “Joy in Partnership” will be presented during the 2021 General Assembly and awarded prize money ranging from five hundred to two thousand euros.

ELIGIBILITY

All partnership groups within the UEM are eligible to apply for the prize.

PRIZE JURY

The UEM Partnership Committee will decide which projects will be awarded the Partnership Prize.

CRITERIA

1. Projects shall seek to encourage “Joy in Partnership” (see recommendations from the Third International Partnership Conference of the UEM in 2017).

2. Projects shall incorporate “all five senses”.

3. The project shall take the form of an innovative (e.g., trilateral) and creative partnership project.

4. The project shall factor in the target group from the start.

5. The project shall be based on the criteria of the UEM’s official project seal:
   - **Decided by partners**
     The participating partners have jointly decided to apply for the UEM Partnership Prize.
   - **Joint planning, monitoring, and evaluation**
     The project shall be implemented through joint planning, monitoring, and evaluation (PME).

   **Project planning in various dimensions**
   At least two of the following five work areas of the UEM shall be considered during the project planning:
   - Advocacy
   - Diaconia
   - Development
   - Evangelism
   - Partnership
   Whenever possible, the project shall be planned for all participating regions.

   **Educational implementation**
   Local congregations, groups, and institutions in the participating partner countries shall support the project by offering seminars, conferences, events, and other activities.

   **Public relations work**
   The local church and/or secular media shall report on events, seminars, and activities related to the ongoing project.

PRIZE MONEY

First prize is an award of two thousand euros. Second prize is one thousand euros, and third prize is five hundred.